

## STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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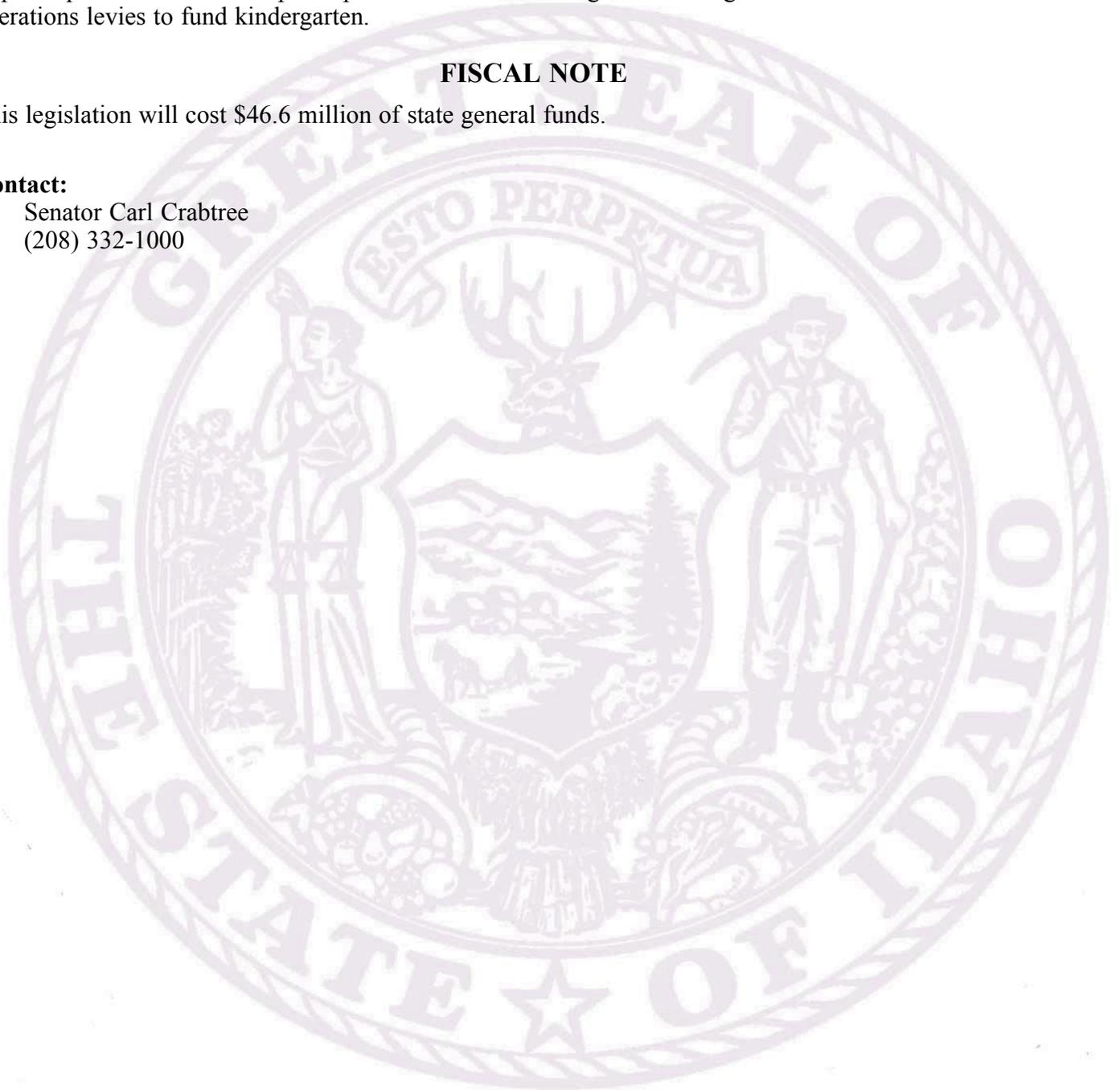
This legislation changes the divisor in kindergarten funding from 40 students to 20 students, which allows for the funding of full-time kindergarten. This program will be optional for parents and districts who choose to participate. Districts who participate in full-time funding will no longer be able to use maintenance and operations levies to fund kindergarten.

## FISCAL NOTE

This legislation will cost \$46.6 million of state general funds.

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